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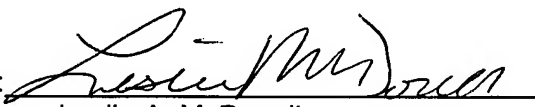
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37 C.F.R. §1.821-1.825

In order to comply with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821-1.825, Applicants refer to the Sequence Listing and the computer readable form thereof filed in the application Serial No. 08/808,324, filed February 28, 1997 from which this application claims priority. The sequence information in the present application is identical to the sequence information in application Serial No. 08/808,324. No new matter is added by this 08/808,324 be used to fulfill the sequence disclosure requirements for this application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(e).

Respectfully submitted,

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